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TREASURY AUCTION RESULTS

Term and Type of Security CUSIP Number	182-Day Bill 912795P39
High Rate ¹	0.445%
Allotted at High	70.07%
Price	99.775028
Investment Rate ²	0.452%
Median Rate ³	0.415%
Low Rate ⁴	0.350%
Issue Date	March 19, 2009
Maturity Date	September 17, 2009

	Tendered	Accepted
Competitive	\$88,466,650,000	\$27,293,120,000
Noncompetitive	\$1,324,503,900	\$1,324,503,900
FIMA (Noncompetitive)	\$382,500,000	\$382,500,000
Subtotal ⁵	\$90,173,653,900	\$29,000,123,900 ⁶
SOMA	\$0	\$0
Total	\$90,173,653,900	\$29,000,123,900
	Tendered	Accepted
Primary Dealer ⁷	\$70,075,000,000	\$18,051,365,000
Direct Bidder ⁸	\$2,993,000,000	\$2,343,000,000
Indirect Bidder ⁹	\$15,398,650,000	\$6,898,755,000
Total Competitive	\$88,466,650,000	\$27,293,120,000

¹ All tenders at lower rates were accepted in full.

² Equivalent coupon-issue yield.

³ 50% of the amount of accepted competitive tenders was tendered at or below that rate

⁴ 5% of the amount of accepted competitive tenders was tendered at or below

⁵ Bid-to-Cover Ratio: \$90,173,653,900/\$29,000,123,900 = 3.11

⁶ Awards to combined Treasury Direct systems = \$925,337,400.

⁷ Primary dealers as submitters bidding for their own house accounts.

⁸ Non-Primary dealer submitters bidding for their own house accounts.

⁹ Customers placing competitive bids through a direct submitter, including Foreign and International Monetary Authorities placing bids through the Federal Reserve Bank of New York.